



**National Nuclear Security Administration**

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MEMORANDUM FOR: David R. Hill, General Counsel, HQ/FORS, GC-1

FROM: Patty Wagner, Manager *Patty Wagner*

SUBJECT: Annual National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) Planning Summary 2008

Attached is the Annual NEPA Planning Summary for the National Nuclear Security Administration, Sandia Site Office. Currently, there is one environmental assessment planned and no environmental impact statements planned for the next 12 to 24 months. In accordance with the Department of Energy Order 451.1B, this information was sent to your office by January 31, 2008.

A Supplement Analysis to the Site Wide Environmental Impact Statement was completed in 2006, and a determination was made that no further NEPA documentation was required in the form of a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement. If you have any questions or concerns regarding this information please call me at (505) 845-6036 or Susan Lacy, Sandia Site Office NEPA Compliance Officer at (505) 845-5542.

Attachment

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## Annual NEPA Planning Summary Status of Ongoing NEPA Compliance Activities: Environmental Assessments

NNSA/Sandia Site Office

Jan-08

*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule Milestones	(**NEPA)	Description
EA for the Expansion of Permitted Land and Operations at the 9940 Complex and Thunder Range at Sandia National Laboratories, New Mexico	\$120,000	Determination Date:	3/23/2007	The proposed action is to expand existing energetic testing and training areas from 540 acres on Kirtland Air Force Base to 1,680 acres. The frequency of testing and the total weight of explosives used annually would increase. The existing land use area of 540 acres is permitted to DOE from the U. S. Air Force.
		Transmittal to State:	1/30/2008	
		EA Approval:	3/15/2008	
		FONSI:	3/18/2008	
Interim Action EA for the Geological Characterization at White Sands Missile Range, White Sands, New Mexico and Nevada Test Site, Las Vegas, Nevada	\$60,000	Determination Date:	2/15/2008	Interim Action to the Complex Transformation SPEIS. The geological characterization of these sites is necessary to determine the feasibility of conducting flight testing operations in support of alternatives in the SPEIS.
		Transmittal to State:	4/15/2008	
		EA Approval:	5/23/2008	
		FONSI:	5/26/2008	
		Determination Date:		
		Transmittal to State:		
		EA Approval:		
		FONSI:		
		Determination Date:		
		Transmittal to State:		
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		Determination Date:		
		Transmittal to State:		
		EA Approval:		
		FONSI:		
	Total Estimated Cost			
	\$180,000.00			

# Annual NEPA Planning Summary Environmental Assessments Expected to be Prepared in the Next 12 Months

NNSA/Sandia Site Office

Jan-08

*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule (**NEPA Milestones)		Description
Long Range Development Plan Environmental Assessment, Sandia National Laboratories, New Mexico	\$150,000	Determination Date:	Feb-08	This EA will analyze Land Use in Technical Areas I, II, and IV at Sandia National Laboratories, New Mexico. The placement of facilities will be reviewed with regard to infill opportunities and facility type (i.e., office building, laboratory).
		Transmittal to State:	Nov-08	
		EA Approval:	Dec-08	
		FONSI:	Jan-09	
		Determination Date:		
		Transmittal to State:		
		EA Approval:		
		FONSI:		
		Determination Date:		
		Transmittal to State:		
		EA Approval:		
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		Determination Date:		
		Transmittal to State:		
		EA Approval:		
		FONSI:		
	Total Estimated Cost			
	\$150,000.00			

# Annual NEPA Planning Summary Status of Ongoing NEPA Compliance Activities: Environmental Impact Statements

NNSA/Sandia Site Office

Jan-08

*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule		Description
Hawaii Range Complex Environmental Impact Statement/Overseas Environmental Impact Statement	\$0	Determination Date:		The Hawaii Range Complex EIS includes the Kauai Test Facility which is owned by DOE/NNSA and is operated by Sandia National Laboratories. A Site Wide EA for the Kauai Test Facility was completed in 1992 (DOE/EA-0492)
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final	30-Apr	
		ROD	6/20/2008	
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
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		Final		
		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Supplement Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
		Supplement Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
	Total Estimated Cost			
	\$0.00			
**Evaluation of Site Wide EIS:		A Supplement Analysis to the Site Wide Environmental Impact Statement was completed in 2006, and a determination was made that no further NEPA documentation was required in the form of a Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement		

# Annual NEPA Planning Summary Environmental Impact Statements Expected to be Prepared in the Next 24 Months

NNSA/Sandia Site Office

Jan-08

*Title, Location	Estimated Cost	Estimated Schedule (**NEPA Milestones)		Description
None		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
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		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Determination Date:		
		NOI:		
		Scoping:		
		Draft		
		Hearings		
		Final		
		ROD		
		Supplement Analysis:		
		Determination Date:		
		Approval:		
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		Approval:		
	Total Estimated Cost			
	\$0.00			